GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Home Department – Revision Petition of Sri R. Srinivasa Rao, Inspector of Police, Visakhapatnam Range, against the penalty of 'PPI for one year without effect on future increments and pension' – Penalty set-aside - Orders – Issued.

HOME (SERVICES-I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 175 Dated: 12-02-2019
Read:

From Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh, Lr.No.495/T4/2018, dated 05.09.2018.

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ORDER:-

In the reference read above, the Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh, has reported that Sri R. Srinivasa Rao, Inspector of Police, Visakhapatnam Range was given a charge, under Rule 22 of the APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991, for the following delinquency:-

During the tenure of charged officer at Vizianagaram I Town P.S a case in Cr. No. 138/2015 u/s 380 of Vizianagaram I Town P.S. was registered on 05.05.2015 on the fresh Compliant of Sri Y.Rambabu r/o Vizianagaram who approached the Superintendent of Police, Vizianagaram in the Grievance Cell on 04.05.2015.

On enquiry, it was revealed that a report was given by Yelavarthi Rambabu in Vizianagaram I Town P.S. on 21.04.2015 about theft of two gold bangles in his house and suspicion over the servant maid, Chintapalli Lakshmi and it was in the notice of the Inspector of Police, Vizianagaram 1 Town P.S [SHO]. But he failed to monitor whether the Compliant was registered and FIR was issued or not and also failed to visit the scene of offence. Being a SHO of the P.S, he, miserably failed to supervise his Sls and staff. He failed to register a case on property crime immediately soon after receipt of the complaint in the Police Station and follow up the case even though there have been instructions of free registration of Property offences.

"Thus he exhibited gross negligence and callous attitude towards his legitimate duties by failing to register a case on property crime immediately soon after receipt of the complaint in the Police Station and visit scene of offence and follow up the case in Cr.No. 138/2015 u/s 380 IPC of Vizianagaram 1 Town P.S".

2. Accordingly, as per procedure prescribed in the APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991, the Superintendent of Police, Vizianagaram District has awarded the penalty of 'PPI for one year without effect on future increments and pension' vide his Proceedings C.No. 134/PR/A6/2015, dated 25.06.2016, against Sri R. Srinivasa Rao, Inspector of Police, Visakhapatnam Range. On the above orders, the Charged Officer filed an Appeal Petition to the Appellate Authority i.e., Inspector General of Police, North Coastal Zone, Visakhapatnam which was considered and rejected vide Proceedings C.No. 486/A2/IGP-NCZ/Appeal/2016, dated 29.08.2017. Aggrieved by the above said orders, the petitioner has filed a Revision Petition to the Government.

3. Government, after careful examination of the entire matter with reference to records/material made available, hereby set aside the penalty of 'PPI for one year without effect on future increments and pension' imposed against Sri R. Srinivasa Rao, Inspector of Police, Visakhapatnam Range.

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4. The Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh shall take further action accordingly, in the matter.

5. The records in the case are returned herewith and the same may be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

A.R. ANURADHA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri. (w.e in original)
Sri R. Srinivasa Rao, Inspector of Police, Visakhapatnam Range. (through DGP, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri)
SF/SC.

// FORWARDED::BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER